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OIL and GAS NEWS

Bull Head No. 6 in section 4-4-3, is being drilled in.

W. G. Skelley was in the city yesterday from Tulsa.

J. A. Boller, an old time oil well contractor, is here from Sulphur.

Humble-Gypsy Oil Companies are making a grade for a steel tank in section 32-3-3.

C. E. Strouville of Tulsa, representing the Savoy Oil Company, is an Ardmore visitor.

Chas. D. Reed of the Coline Oil Company, was in the city last night from the fields.

Ralph R. Weed, who is drilling in section 15 for A. T. McGhee, was in the city yesterday.

Skelley & Russell have rigs up for their Nos. 3 and 4 on the Ward lease, in section 6-4-3.

Tete West, field superintendent for the Savoy Oil Company, is an Ardmore visitor from Tulsa.

Producers Oil Company is making a grade for the construction of a steel tank in section 32-3-3.

McMan Oil Company has completed its second four-inch pipe line to its tank farm in section 13-4-4.

Judge R. S. Rowland of the series of Rex Oil Companies, is an Ardmore visitor from Oklahoma City.

Duard Oil Company has begun drilling another new well and has a rig up for still another one.

Coline Oil Company is building a rig for No. 3 on the J. B. Ferguson lease, in section 6-4-3, offsetting Skelley & Russell on the Ward lease in the same section.

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Cleveland, Nowata, Chelsea,
Dewey, Okmulgee, Morris and
New Wilson, Okla., and Electric,
Tex., and Chanute, Kans.**INVESTIGATION
CONTINUED TO
TWENTY-FIRST**

EXPERT TESTIMONY WITH REFERENCE TO CASING-HEAD GAS WILL BE HEARD IN OKLAHOMA CITY.

No expert testimony on either the manufacture of casing-head gasoline or on explosives at the hearing here before the corporation commission was heard and the investigation was continued until October 21, when all parties interested are summoned to be in Oklahoma City.

Copies of the evidence taken before the coroner's jury and before the State Fire Marshal concerning the explosion were introduced and filed with the commission. The Victor Gasoline Company was given the right to offset any of the evidence it desired to when the evidence was offered.

When the commission convened for the afternoon session Judge Humphrey was with Judge Henshaw. W. B. Hassett, superintendent of the Ardmore Refinery, testified that the gasoline was ordered by phone from the Victor Gasoline Company, that it was what is known as casing-head gasoline; that it was shipped on the 23rd of September from Cushing and arrived here on the 25th, that the loading racks of the refinery are located one mile north of the city, and the shipment was not supposed to be delivered to his company until it was placed on the company's spur at the refinery. He did not know the specific gravity of the car, but said he understood that some of this gasoline runs as high as from 80 to 91 degrees gravity.

M. F. Powers of the Victor Gasoline Company said the gasoline which caused the explosion here was manufactured at Drumright, that it was piped to Cushing and loaded there. He stated that the specific gravity of the product runs from 75 to 85, and the car which was shipped here was probably of 82 or 83 gravity. He has the record of the car in Tulsa and will furnish the commission with the record at the Oklahoma City hearing. The company has shipped three cars to the Ardmore refinery.

John F. Easley made a statement of the damage wrought by the explosion, including the number of lives lost, and an estimate of the number injured.

James R. Cottingham of the Santa Fe, was in the hearing during the afternoon and asked the witnesses a few questions. He stated the work of making settlements with Ardmore people was progressing nicely, and he apprehends no trouble here. There is nothing except the Ardmore settlement to keep the Santa Fe at bay from being present at the adjourned meeting, and Mr. Cottingham thought October 21 would suit his convenience.

The order was made continuing the

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION

In the District Court Within and for Carter County, State of Oklahoma.

J. W. Newcomb, plaintiff, vs. Tena Mornin Cooper, et al., defendants. No. 3959.

Clara Miller, one of the defendants in the above-named and styled action, will take notice that she, along with others, has been sued in the above-named court by J. W. Newcomb to establish and to quiet said J. W. Newcomb's title to the east half of the southeast quarter, the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter, and the south half of the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section 16; and the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 15; all in township 5 south, range 1 east; and the west half of the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter, the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter, and the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 23, township 4 south, range 2 east; situated in Carter County, Oklahoma, and to enjoin and restrain said Clara Miller, and others, from claiming and asserting any right, title, interest and estate therein and thereto; and said Clara Miller must answer said petition filed therein on or before November 22, A. D. 1915, or said petition will be taken as true, and a judgment for said plaintiff in said action establishing and quieting plaintiff's title to said lands, and enjoining and restraining said Clara Miller and others from claiming and asserting any right, title, interest and estate therein and thereto, will be rendered accordingly.

Dated this 9th day of October, 1915.

THOS. NORMAN,
Attorney for plaintiff.

Attest:
S. F. HAYNIE,
(Seal) Court Clerk.
10-17-24-31

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hearing until that date, and adjournment was taken.

For the reason that the federal government and several states want the investigation, the commission will make it exhaustive before it ends, and before any order is made regarding transportation of the explosive.

LECTURES TODAY AT HOME.

Dr. Young Chooses Interesting Topic for This Afternoon.

Dr. J. E. Young will deliver his lecture on "Mother and Home" this afternoon at 2:30 at the State Confederate Home. The object of the lecture is to cheer the hearts of the mothers and to bring comfort to the old soldiers who fought for their mothers and home. The young people have contributed their part toward the success of the lecture by preparing a program of music in keeping with the subject to be discussed. The inmates of the home will be glad to welcome all their friends and send a special invitation to the fathers and mothers of the city to be with them on this occasion.

Lead and Zinc.

I have 100 acres of lead and zinc land near mills now operating in Arbuckle Mountains. Want to sell a one-half interest to develop same. This is absolutely proven stuff and if you can be interested, write Box 604, Ardmore, Okla. 10-5

Ardworth Oil Company's No. 2 steel tank in section 10-4-3, has been completed and is now ready to receive oil.

**INDIANS MAKE
FINE SHOWING
AT THE FAIRS**

WIN TWO CUPS AND MANY INDIVIDUAL PRIZES AT STATE FAIR AND AT MUSKOGEE EXHIBIT THIS YEAR.

Charles M. Neal, who has charge of the agricultural department of the Indian agent's office, covering the Ardmore district, has just returned from Muskogee and Oklahoma City where he had charge of the Indian exhibit from this district.

In speaking of the good work of the Indians this year, and the most creditable showing made, Mr. Neal said:

"The Indian exhibit, of which I was in charge, was shown at Oklahoma City and won first prize—a silver loving cup. The same exhibit won first at Muskogee, which was also a silver cup. Besides, there were thirty-eight individual prizes awarded to full-blood Indians who contributed to the exhibit, which amounts to \$41 for the various Indian farmers of the Ardmore district."

Following are the names of the prize-winning Indian farmers:

Joseph Baptist—First prize on Irish potatoes.

Chatman Thompson—First on duchess pears.

Howard Duncan—First on popcorn.

Nettie Sewell—First on squash.

James Morris—First on feterita.

Frank Stribbling—First on kafir.

Overton Lavers—First on Bartlett pears.

W. T. Ward—First on gano apples.

Joe Kelley—First on oats.

John Thomas—First on keifer pears.

A. O. Lewis—First on peaches.

George McLaughlin—First on G. C. apples.

Elmer McCauley—First on sweet potatoes.

Simon Alberson—Second on wheat.

Kizzy McCauley—First on pears.

Susan Bull—First on stalk of okra.

Mary Patterson—First on canned pickles.

W. R. Roberts I. R. Mason

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Oil Producers.

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FOR SALE—French pecans, cracked and picked out. Pugh & Foster, W. Main St., Ardmore, Okla. 10-3

LOST—Check given by John Steakley to M. C. Mills, for \$40. Finder return to Ardmore office or to First National Bank.

**Auto Line to
Oil Fields Via Wilson**

Car leaves Randol Hotel 8 a. m., arrives at Oil Field, 10 a. m. Arrives at Ardmore, 6 p. m.
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